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3 By Representative Hall
4 RFD:
5 First Read: 27-APR-11

COMMENDING THE 2011 VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, we are pleased to recognize the generous
donation of services by the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance
(VITA) staff of Huntsville, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, the VITA program is a national effort to
assist residents in claiming benefits such as Child Tax Credit
and Earned Income Tax Credit and otherwise advise qualified
citizens in preparing and filing tax returns; and

WHEREAS, the program has been operational in Madison
County since 2003 and provides services without charge to low
and moderate income families, legal immigrants, and the
disabled; and

WHEREAS, among those staffing the 2011 program are:
Teresa Jones, Nicole Acklin, Nakeshia Lorde, Deione Crutcher,
Deyuma Baker, Sandra Frierson, Cervelma Jones, Larry Bradley,
Michael Taylor, Kandace Miller, Matthew Darnell, Carolyn
Harris, LaShonda Mitchell, Angelique Cole, Leah Walker, Kiante
Francis, Tamesha Feagins, Brittney Allen, Britany Suttles,

1 Terry Luna, Tiffany Hawkins, and Sophia Smith; Kermit Elliott
2 served as Site Coordinator and Ralph Redrick as Assistant Site
3 Coordinator; and

4 WHEREAS, these volunteers represent the finest of
5 Alabama citizens and are greatly admired for their willingness
6 to share their time and talent to help others; they are a
7 credit to the program and the State of Alabama; now therefore,

8 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
9 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That we welcome the opportunity to
10 salute the service of the 2011 Madison County Volunteer Income
11 Tax Assistance staff, and by presentation of a copy of this
12 resolution, we offer sincere gratitude for their generosity.